

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 368 - SB 322

March 9, 2023

SUMMARY OF BILL: Prohibits a local education agency (LEA) from suspending or expelling a student from school if the student is enrolled in any of the grades pre-kindergarten through two (pre-K-2) unless the student's behavior endangers the physical safety of other students or school personnel, as determined by the LEA's director of schools. Requires a student's length of suspension to not exceed three days. Requires the principal of the student's school to notify the student's parent or legal guardian of the student's suspension on the day the suspension occurs.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- LEAs will be able to update their policies and comply with the proposed legislation within existing resources. Any fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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